## Consecration Sunday 2018 Surprise Church

November 9, 2018

Friends of Surprise Church:

By now you're aware that Sunday, November 18 is *Consecration Sunday* at Surprise! This is our annual "generosity party," a celebration of the giving that fuels the Surprise mission.

What I love about *Consecration Sunday* is the guilt-free emphasis on the giver's need to give, rather than the church's need to receive. Surprise community members have been praying about the percentage of their income that God is calling them to offer toward the Surprise mission and are eagerly looking forward to celebrating together. In other words, this event is the culmination of answered prayers!

**We believe** that you have sufficient concern for your spiritual growth and the mission of Surprise Church to attend the two special events of this day:

- 1) Sunday morning worship at 10:30 AM, and
- 2) the Celebration Luncheon immediately following worship that same day (an amazing catered meal, free of charge).

**This is a catered meal, so we need reservations** for each worship attendee present. If you did not make a reservation during the recent weeks of worship, please let us know that you will be present by calling Scott Ressler at 701-226-4738.

Consecration Sunday is such an important and exciting day for the Surprise community, so please make every effort to celebrate with us on November 18!

Your servant in Christ,

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